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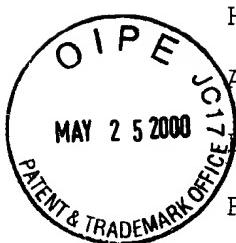
In re Application of:)
 HIRAKU KOZUKA ET AL.) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
 Application No.: 09/511,358) Group Art Unit: 2722
 Filed: February 23, 2000)
 For: PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERSION)
 DEVICE, AND IMAGE SENSOR :
 AND IMAGE INPUT SYSTEM)
 MAKING USE OF THE SAME : May 24, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under
 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under
 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is
 directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form
 PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.



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The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. applications:

<u>APPLICATION NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>GROUP ART UNIT</u>
09/084,997	5/28/98	2811

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), no copy of any cited U.S. application is enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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